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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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8 JERRY CROSS,

9 Petitioner,

2:17-cv-00290-JCM-VCF

10 vs.

ORDER

11 BRIAN WILLIAMS, SR., *et al.*,

12 Respondents.
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15 In this habeas corpus case, the court has ordered the petitioner, Nevada prisoner Jerry Cross,
16 to either pay the \$5 filing fee or file a new and complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*,
17 including the required financial certificate, by March 24, 2017. *See* Order entered February 6, 2017
18 (ECF No. 3). On March 7, 2017, Cross filed a request for an extension of that deadline, stating that
19 he has had difficulty obtaining the financial certificate for his application to proceed *in forma*
20 *pauperis* (ECF No. 4).

21 The court finds that Cross' motion for extension of time is made in good faith and not solely
22 for the purpose of delay, and that there is good cause for the extension of time he requests.

23 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that petitioner's motion for extension of time (ECF
24 No. 4) is **GRANTED**. Petitioner shall have until and including **April 28, 2017**, to either pay the \$5
25 filing fee for this action, or file a new and complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*,
26 including the required financial certificate.

Dated March 10, 2017.

James C. Mahan
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE